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Dear Commissioner Gendron:

This letter is written in compliance to update plans for MSAD#36 and Jay School Department with respect to our proposed consolidation for the formation of R.S.U. #40 combining Livermore, Livermore Falls and Jay.

The R.S.U. #40 has not had formal meetings as we await amended legislation. I am pleased to report however, that administrative planning moves with good relations to find ways to reduce cost through sharing of services. Examples are our joint Behavioral program, ABC plumbing apprentice project and Alternative Education development. We are also discussing Central office combined services such as payroll/AP and also plan a joint Administrative Team meeting to generate cost saving programs for the 2008-2009 school year.

The RPC will meet as we have direction from legislative action and I find a very cooperative spirit to move our plan.

We appreciate the difficult work you are doing and hope the legislative process comes to closure soon.

Yours In Education,

Terry W. Despres

Superintendent of Schools...

c: MSAD#36 Board of Education Jay School Committee